

Natick Town Clerk

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PRESS RELEASE

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ABSENTEE BALLOTS NOW AVAILABLE Presidential Primary Tuesday, March 3, 2020

Absentee ballots are **now available** for the March 3, 2020 Presidential Primary election. Absentee ballot applications must be received no later than noon on Monday, March 2, 2020. A voter may vote absentee if he/she will be absent from Natick on election day, if a physical disability prevents him/her from voting at the polling place, or for religious beliefs which prevent the voter from voting on election day. In addition, Early Voting will be held Monday, February 24 through Friday, February 28th in Town Hall.

The last day to register to vote or change party affiliation for this election is **Wednesday**, **February 12th**. The Town Clerk's office will remain open until 8 PM on that day. Citizens who are or will be 18 years of age on or before March 3rd may vote in the March 3rd election however they **MUST** register by the February 12th deadline. Voter registration forms, absentee ballot applications and information are available at the Town Clerk's Office or by going on-line to https://www.sec.state.ma.us/ele/eleidx.htm Absentee ballot applications may be completed by the voter or a family member. A voter who will be out of town for the election may complete an absentee ballot application at the Town Clerk's office and vote the ballot at that time. Ballots may not be taken out of the office.

Voters who are enrolled in a political party—Democrat, Republican, Green Rainbow or Libertarian must vote the ballot of the party. Voters who are registered as unenrolled (U)—or enrolled in a political designation may choose a ballot type. Sample ballots for this election are available on line at www.natickma.gov. Voters may check their voting status at https://www.sec.state.ma.us/VoterRegistrationSearch/MyVoterRegStatus.aspx. If you wish to change your party affiliation prior to the Primary you must do so on or before Wednesday, February 12th.

The Town Clerk's office is located on the first floor of Town Hall at 13 East Central St. Office hours are Monday –Wednesday 8 AM- 5 PM, Thursday 8 AM- 7 PM and Friday 8 AM-12:30 PM. For more information please call the Town Clerk's office at (508) 647-6430 Ext. 4 or email worker.action.org.